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Applicant : Farhad Farrasat  
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For : METHOD OF TESTING  
BONDED CONNECTIONS, AND  
A WIRE BONDER  
Examiner : Lynne Edmondson  
Group Art Unit : 1725

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STATEMENT OF JAMES AUSLEY

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Dear Sir:

I, James Ausley, hereby declare as follows:

1. On or about July 25, 2003 I prepared a response to an outstanding office action in the above-identified case.
2. On July 25, 2003, I completed the response and caused the transmittal letter to be prepared so as to file the response to the office action on July 25, 2003.
3. I reviewed the response and signed the transmittal letter, the response and the certificate of mailing on July 25, 2003 and instructed the application be deposited in the first class mail addressed to commissioner for Patent, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.
4. I had reason to believe that the response would be filed as of July 25, 2003 in the normal course of business and a review of the log of mail deposited with the U.S. Post Office on

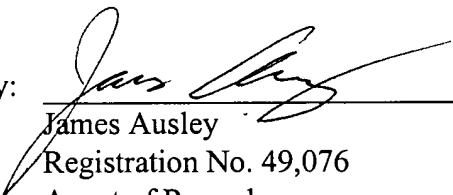
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Respectfully submitted,

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